

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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COMPENSATION TO DROUGHT AFFECTED STATES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of funds allocated under various heads and foodgrains provided by the Union Government for tackling the situation arising out of drought to assist the affected people during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) the details of works undertaken for providing jobs to tackle the situation during the said period, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government are formulating any scheme to tackle the drought conditions in future in the country, especially in Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Chhattisgarh and Orissa; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b): In addition to release of Central share of Calamity Relief Fund (CRF) for taking immediate relief measures in the wake of natural calamities, State-wise details of assistance released from National Fund for Calamity Relief (NFCR)/National Calamity Contingency Fund (NCCF) and foodgrain allocated for relief employment, during 1999-2000 to 2001-02, for drought, is indicated in the statement Annexed.

(c) & (d): Necessary action has to be taken by the State Governments concerned.

Annexure

Compensation to Drought Affected States

S.No. State Assistance released from Foodgrains release (lakh MTs)
NFCR/NCCF (Rs. in crore)

99-2000 2000-01 2001-02 99-2000 2000-01
& 2001-02

1. Andhra Pradesh 75.36 - - - 16.50
2. Chhattisgarh -@ 40.00 18.94\$ - 5.28
3. Gujarat 54.58 85.00 27.00\$ - 1.48
4. Himachal Pr. - - 18.98\$ - 0.12
5. Jammu & Kashmir 73.42 - 23.20\$ - -
6. Karnataka 17.09# - - - 1.00
- 7 Madhya Pradesh 38.86# 35.00 22.72\$ - 2.52
8. Manipur 4.93 - - - -
9. Maharashtra - - - - 1.50

10. Mizoram 6.00 - - - -
11. Orissa - 35.00 14.62 - 2.50#
12. Rajasthan 102.93 85.00 78.97\$ - 7.40
13. Tripura 5.34 - - - -

NFCR - National Fund for Calamity Relief.
NCCF - National Calamity Contingency Fund.

\$ - For drought of 2000-01.
@ - During 1999-2000, Chhattisgarh was part of Madhya Pradesh.
- For drought & floods.